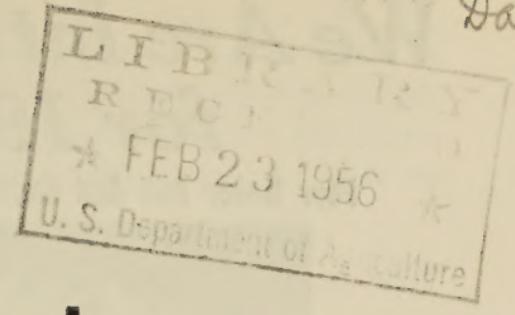


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OHIO MAID

Formal. White with a pinkish, lavender blush at the center. Blooms average 10 to 11 inches but has been grown to 12 inches. Bush 4½ to 5 feet. Very strong stems holding blooms facing slightly up. Very good foliage, and a free bloomer. Insects seldom bother it. Has won many first's and special awards, and has never been defeated on the show table. Won a special award in 1955 at East Liverpool in the Open to All "A" class as the best Formal in the show. A very outstanding dahlia, one of the most spectacular we have ever grown. Many prominent growers and judges pronounce it to be one of the most outstanding we have ever introduced.

NO PLANTS

ROOTS \$15.00 NET



BIG TOP

Straight or slightly Incurved Cactus. Pink. One of the largest we have ever grown. Has been grown to 14 inches. Bush about 5 ft. Blooms facing on side. A strong, healthy grower. Insect resistant. A free bloomer for one so large. Won as the best pink cactus in the "A" class at the East Liverpool show in 1955.

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LAVENDER LADY: ID. Lavender. A "B" dahlia that will grow fully 8 inches. Bush 4½ ft. Stems 8 to 10 inches. Blooms on side facing up. A strong grower with good stems and type. Very good foliage. One that should be able to win in its class.

NO PLANTS

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ORANGE BABY: Formal Miniature. Nars Orange. Average size of blooms 2½ inches. Have never seen one over size. Bush 3 feet. Has nice long stems and good foliage. A free bloomer, with blooms facing slightly up. Has been a winner in 1955 on the Show Table. A double duty miniature, equally good as a cut flower or the show table.

NO PLANTS

ROOTS \$5.00 NET



OUR FRIEND: ID

This dahlia is named in Honor of Mr. Charles F. Pape who gave it to us before he passed away. A very large purple. Plants about 5 ft. high. A strong vigorous grower with good stems. Blooms well out of the foliage are seldom bothered by insects. Will produce many blooms from 11 to 13 inches. Has won many first's and special awards in open to all and seedling classes, also in the largest bloom class. At East Liverpool in 1954 it won as the largest bloom 14x9. On the Flower Grower Honor Rolls of Lynn B. Dudley and R. T. Eddy, with a score of 86. Won A.D.S. Seedling Sweepstakes Award with a score of 87.3. Also on Roy Webb's Eastern Review. We believe this to be one of the very largest dahlias we have ever grown.

NO PLANTS

ROOTS \$10.00



THE WHIRL

The Whirl is an Autumn color with very artistic, beautiful blooms facing on side slightly up. 9 to 11 inches with good depth. Bush 4½ to 5 feet. Foliage and stems are good. A very easy cactus to grow. Has won many first's and special awards on the show table.

NO PLANTS

ROOTS \$10.00

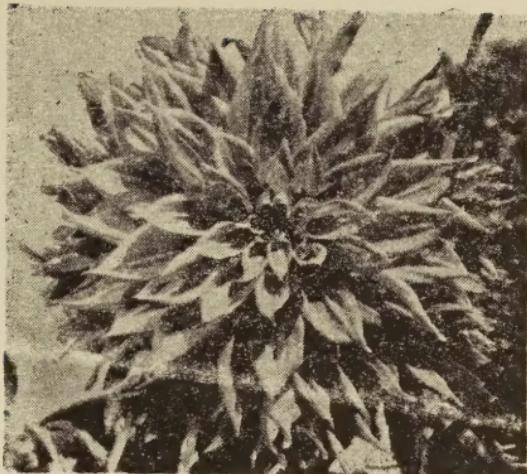


ABUNDANCE: ID

A very nice shade of Lavender. Blooms 7 to 8 inches with good depth facing slightly up. Bush 3 to 4 feet. Long, strong stems. An abundance of blooms from early to late. Has been a winner on the show table and should continue to win. On the Flower Grower Honor Roll of J. Louis Roberts and R. T. Eddy, and Roy Webb's Eastern Review.

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MARY ELIZABETH: ID
OUR 1954 GRAND CHAMPION

Cherry red. Bush 4 to 4½ feet. Good stems and foliage. A strong vigorous grower. Insects seldom bother it. Blooms facing or slightly up and very large. Has won many first's as the largest bloom in the show. At one show in 1953 it measured 14x11 and received a special award for the largest bloom in the show. The next week at the Mid-West show in Cleveland it not only won as the largest bloom but also as the largest and most perfect and was GRAND CHAMPION of the entire show. It also received the A.D.S. Seedling Sweepstakes Award. This will win many times as the largest bloom in the show. On all four Honor Rolls. We believe this to be the Champion Dahlia in the Mid-West and Eastern States in 1955.

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Abbreviations:

- FD.—Formal Decorative
ID.—Informal Decorative
C.—Cactus St. C.—Straight Cactus
IC.—Incurved Cactus
Lt. Bl.—Light blend of two or more colors.
Dk. Bl.—Dark Blend of two or more colors.
Var.—Variegated, Varieties having two or more distinct colors arranged in splashes or narrow lines which contrast with basic color.
Bi.—Bicolor, two or more distinct colors.
A—Large, over 8 inches
B—Medium, 4 to 8 inches
Min.—Miniature, 2 to 4 inches
Pom.—Pompon, under 2 inches

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